

# THE HICKMAN COURIER.

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## THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF SPECIAL SALES IN THE Home-Goods Department BEGINS TO-DAY - With A SNAP

### White Lined Enameled Ware.

Here are matchless values in Enamel Ware. Blue and white, marbled outside, pure white inside, triple coating, at prices never offered before. Some have two coats of gray enamel on heavy steel base, inside and out. We picked these up at bargain prices, you'll get them the same way.



### 2 Quart Milk Pans,

10 cents, worth regular 20 cents

### 1 qt Pudding Pans, 10c

Milk Pan, 10c.

Usually 25 cents.

### 5 Quart Lipped Sauce pan, 30c.

You can't buy them anywhere less than 50 cents.

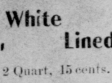


### 2 Qt. Coffee pot,

Steel handle,

White inside.

Always 50 cents, Now 35c.



### White Lined Milk Pans

2 Quart, 15 cents.

3 Quarts, 18 cents.

6 Quart 25c.



### This 8 qt. Preserve Kettle

White lined, worth 75c

At this sale 48c



### White Lined PUDDING PANS

1 Quart 15c.

1 1/2 Quarts 15 cents.

5 Quart 25 cents.

### This 10 qt. Flaring Milk Pail at 10c.



We have a good supply of these again, but can't promise more when these are gone. The above items are only pointers, to show you where more good things are to be found. This week we have in a big shipment of HOME-GOODS at BARGAIN PRICES, in goods of every description.

**ELLISON MERCANTILE CO., Inc.**  
HICKMAN, KY.

### RONEY-HELM.

POPULAR COUPLE WILL BE WEDDED NEXT WEDNESDAY.

A wedding of unusual interest of Hickman's popular society is the wedding in which Miss Grace Helm and Mr. James W. Roney will take place at the Baptist church next Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. W. S. Roney, of Little Rock, Ark., father of the groom-elect and a former resident of Hickman, will officiate.

The wedding is not in the nature of a surprise as many of the closest friends have anticipated a union, but few knew the exact date. The union of these two popular young people should be a happy one as both are well suited and both should be congratulated on their selection of life's companion.

Miss Helm is the youngest daughter of Mr. George N. Helm, and is one of Nature's most charming flowers of real life. She is pretty in both character and appearance and has a most lovable disposition and will make a model wife.

Mr. Roney is one of Hickman's most prominent and valuable citizens. He is a lawyer by occupation and has an exceedingly bright future in the profession he has chosen. He has been a resident of Hickman for two years and came here from Fulton. He is a gentleman of the highest plane and a bright young lawyer. He is universally popular.

The wedding party will be tendered a reception at the home of the bride immediately after the ceremony.

### COUNTY COURT BUSINESS

County Court was in session this week and much business was transacted.

The will of Mrs. Henry Emerson of Jordan, was probated. She bequeathed everything to her husband including her part of the estate of F. W. Keiser.

Eugene Blakemore was appointed constable No. 3. Sheriff's election was filed. Ed. Bard was appointed road overseer of ninth section of the State road.

George Scott was appointed overseer of third section of upper river road, Mason Barnes overseer

## A LARGE CROWD SAW THE ARKANSAS HERE.

The city of Hickman was overflowed with guests Saturday, who came to see the big fighting vessel of Uncle Sam's, the "Arkansas". Fully four thousand visitors were in the city and 2000 visited the ship. People were here from over West Kentucky, West Tennessee and Missouri. The Arkansas arrived here and anchored at 12 o'clock and immediately began to receive guests.

Commander Vreeland sent his launch over after the Mayor and City Council and the party were shown through the ship by the Commander and Lieut. Commander E. Simpson and everything was thoroughly explained to them. The Mayor's party consisted of the following: Mayor Dillon, T. T. Swayne and wife, R. B. Brevard and wife, St. Brevard, W. C. Johnson, Geo. Carpenter and Misses Marie Brevard and Bessie Case.

Lieut. Simpson was especially courteous in showing the party through and made a very favorable impression by his gentle and of Lynch Stew road. Antelope Walker overseer of Adams road. The fiscal court last week allowed 134 claims amounting to about \$4000.

### STORE ROBBED.

The jewelry store of M. F. Dos Myers at Fulton, was broken open and robbed Tuesday night. About fifteen watches and a lot of other jewelry are missing.

### PICKPOCKETS WERE HERE.

A gang of pickpockets are following the ship "Arkansas". While the Monitor was here two men were known to have been victims of the crafters. Col. Lee Egbert candidate for representative was relieved of \$9 for 10 and Mr. Arch White, of Union City, caught his purse as the wily stranger was pulling it out of his pocket. City Marshal Dillon says he is sure a pickpocket attempted to work his pocket, that he felt the man rub up against his revolver in his hip pocket and supposed the gun scared him off.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

CONSIDERABLE LAND CHANGED HANDS RECENTLY.

Deputy County Clerk reports the following transfers in real estate in the past two weeks: Y. A. Milner to G. A. Binford four tracts of land \$1,550.

M. E. Kimbro to A. A. Kimbro 20 acres in district 2, \$800.

Walter Wade and wife to Jno. H. Wade 22 1/2 acres \$231, 61 acres \$600.

J. R. and A. M. Brown to J. G. Keays and Isaac Bonden lots in Hickman \$160.

M. B. Shaw and Fannie Shaw to L. D. Perry lots in Hickman \$350.

John Baird and wife to Luther Yeoch 12 acres \$750.

F. S. Moore and wife to J. F. Doules 1 1/2 interest in land \$400.

B. T. Davis to James Newton lot in East Hickman \$100.

H. L. Lockport to Bennett Bros. 219 acres \$950.

R. H. Kirk to B. G. Hale 3 1/2 acres \$875.

J. A. Taylor to J. S. Anderson 18 acres \$250.

J. K. Barnett to W. O. Cradick 10 acres \$200.

R. L. Fields to Sam Webb 1 1/2 interest in 80 acres \$90.

W. T. Sherry to John Stone 12 1/2 acres \$1,500.

Asa Kimbro to Y. A. Milner lots in Hickman \$523.

Fannie Shaw to M. B. Shaw lot in Hickman \$50.

W. B. Postlewaite to M. B. Shaw lot in Hickman \$100.

A. L. Shuck to Mattie Ward 22 acres \$1,000.

Dear Editor:

Through the columns of your paper let us try to express our sincere thanks to our many, many friends for their sympathy and kindness shown us over the loss of our dear mamma, "Lena Clark". Praying God's richest blessings on you and all, we remain,

Ever Gratefully and Sincerely,

### EXAMINATION HONOR ROLL.

Report of those having highest averages on the third examination at Hickman College.

THIRD YEAR CLASS (Seniors)  
Butte Bruer, 94.  
Annie Ellison, 94.  
Second Year Class  
Clifton Steele, 96 1/2.  
Lester Luten, 92 1/2.  
Winifred Taylor 90 1/2.  
Irene Helm 79.

FIRST YEAR.  
Ike Hale  
Addie Murrell  
Irene Moore  
Tom Powell

FOURTH GRADE.  
Jessie Henry 96 1/2.  
Raby Fleming 96.  
Virginia Atwood 88 1/2.  
Louisa McDaniel 88.  
Nathaniel Sawyer 88.  
Prather 84.  
Homer Green 83.

SEVENTH GRADE.  
Mary McDaniel 97 1/2.  
Fannie Kearley 92.  
Victoria Stahl 89.  
Nathaniel Sawyer 88.  
Russell Johnson 88 1/2.  
Victoria Hordmar 88.

SIXTH GRADE.  
Victoria Nelson 97.  
Lizzie Corum 87.  
Ida Stahl 85.  
Easomine Lunsford 81.  
Henry Sawyer 82.  
Harold Debow 81.

FIFTH GRADE.  
Frank Smith 94.  
Lola Davis 90.  
Harry Miller 86.  
Maggie Henry 85.  
Hazel Johnson 82.  
Warren Ellison 82.

FOURTH GRADE.  
Lois Bartlett 96 1/2.  
Bertha Overton 90 1/2.  
Willie Jelliff 89.  
Doyne Journeay 84 1/2.  
Blanche Hilditch 81 1/2.  
Nannie Metheny 87 1/2.  
John Nelson 87 1/2.

THIRD GRADE.  
Emma Tyler 97.  
Helen Bates 91 1/2.  
Mel Barry 92 1/2.  
Tate Hicklett 88.  
Hazel Smith 87.  
Fern Bryan 85 1/2.

### THIRD AND LAST ENTERTAINMENT.

The third and last of the series of entertainments inaugurated by the pastor of the Methodist church some weeks ago will be given at the City Hall at 8 o'clock next Monday night. Hon. Finis J. Garrett will be the speaker. Former entertainers in the series have been Rev. W. K. Piner of Memphis, and Mrs. Haskell, both of whom were cordially appreciated and will be delightfully recalled by all who heard them. Mr. Garrett bears a most enviable reputation as an orator for smoothness and power and Rev. Watterfield doesn't hesitate to warrant that his performance will be equal in quality and in the pleasure afforded to that of either of the former visitors. General admission 25 cents; reserved seats 35 cents; children 15 cents. Tickets at Cowgill & Cowgill's.

### JUDGE NAYLOR WITHDRAWS.

Judge Josh Naylor the present legislator from Fulton and Hickman counties has withdrawn from the contest and will not stand for re-election. Judge Naylor quits on account of rheumatism which he has been suffering with lately.

### TOUT ENSEMBLE.

At her beautiful home on Union street, Miss Kate Reid entertained last evening at 8 o'clock a most interesting young ladies. Misses Grace Helm, Nina Glenn, Irene Amberg and Louise Rogers.

Miss Irene Amberg will entertain the same young ladies including Miss Annie Ellison, Monday evening at six o'clock dinner.

Hon. Finis J. Garrett will lecture at the City Hall Monday night. Mr. Garrett has a faculty of entertaining which is rarely equaled by any orator in the south. Don't fail to hear him.

Hear Finis Garrett in his lecture at the City Hall Monday night. Admission 15, 25 and 35 cents. Reserved seats now on sale at Cowgill's.

Miss Josie Fankle has returned to Caruthersville, Mo.

O. M. Phillips was in Crutcherfield this week.

All the merchants report a tremendous business last Saturday.

Dr. S. K. Davidson yesterday purchased the Hamrick place on the hill. Consideration private.

## Special Sale Muslin Underwear.

Some time since we placed a very large order for Ladies Muslin Underwear which should have been received and sold out before this. But they have just arrived. Now, this is late for us to be receiving these goods, and we feel that we must make an extraordinary effort to dispose of them. Consequently, we have decided to hold

### A Special Sale of Ladies Muslin Underwear

Beginning TO-DAY and continuing through next week. In this sale we shall make prices so temptingly low, that you cannot help but buy. This is an unusually fine line of these goods, bought of one of the best manufacturers in the country. The best of materials are used and the workmanship is first-class. At the prices we now offer them, you cannot afford to make your own underwear, for here you have them neatly made at the price of bare materials. Note these:

### Corset Covers.

Two rows lace down front, neck and arms edge finished with hemstitched ruffle, 25 cts.

Another with square neck, laced across front, ruffle trimmed neck at 25 cents.

These are good values at 25 cents. Some very elaborate styles at 50 to 75c.

### Skirts.

Made of good quality muslin, wide double flounce, hemstitched hem, good width 50 cents.

Would be cheap at 15 cents. Double Skirt with three rows lace inserting and wide edge, due ruffle for drop skirt, like cut, 35 to 50.

### Drawers.

Plain four inch ruffle, good quality muslin, 19 cents. Regular 25 cent value.

Flower cloth, wide embroidered ruffle with three rows above ruffle, 25 cents. Another pair excellent material, full 6 inch embroidered ruffle, lace above ruffle edged with 2 inch lace like cut, at 60 cents. Worth fully 80 cts. Finer grade 95 to 100.

### GOWNS.

Range in price from 50 cts to \$2 50. A specially good value has four group tucks, two rows insertion forming front yoke, ruffle around neck and sleeves at 20c. Would be cheap at 75 cts. THE NEW LOW SEC. GOWNS, both round and square edged, fine quality linen cloth \$1 25 and \$1 50.

Those who have not yet purchased their Muslin Underwear are fortunate in having this opportunity to secure first-class garments under value.

**ELLISON MERCANTILE CO., Inc.**



# After Easter Comes SUMMER.

We are ready with lightest and daintiest Summer Millinery, the sheerest and whitest of Summer Shirt Waists and every conceivable thing in summer Wash Goods of cotton and linen, also new line of Summer shoes and clothing. We note a few suggestions to hint at the scope of our preparations for summer.

## Summer Millinery.

Dainty creations in Chiffon, lace and other light weight material in large and medium shapes. Flat styles and others with upturned rims. In fact out of our line of distinct styles, it would be difficult not to find a Hat at about your price, which would suit your face.

## RICH WASH GOODS.

Our assortment of wash goods is an admirable collection of the newest and most beautiful material,

One lot Beautiful Batiste—good assortment, style and colors, worth 10c for 5c yd.  
30 pieces fine Batiste, worth 12c and 15c for only 10 cents.  
Our line of 15c Batiste, Dimities etc. We show an extra large assortment and worth fully 5c more per yard.

## Baltzer & Dodds,

ECLIPSE  
\$3.50

## Summer Shoes.

Men's ECLIPSE \$3.50 low cut. These in Vici and Patent Colt, Lace Oxford and Blucher cut. The very newest for summer wear, also have a complete line of Men's and Boy's high cut shoes.

The "FOUR HUNDRED" Pants for swell dressers, the best line of Men's and Boy's Pants made. We have just received the new spring styles—with the detachable belt. Prices from \$2.50 to \$5.00.

## Men's Summer suits, (Coats and Pants.)

Coats made skeleton back. Pants with belts and cuff bottoms, big line to select from at \$5.00 to \$10.00.

## Jane Hopkins'

Made boys in two and three piece suits. Ages 5 to 16 years old, at \$1.25 to 6.00



Hickman, Ky.

### THE HICKMAN COURIER.

MR. GEO. WARREN, Prop.  
THOS. H. LOVELAKE, Editor and Manager.

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CIRCUIT JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce W. P. Lee as a candidate for the office of Circuit Judge of this Judicial District. Subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce R. J. Hagg as a candidate for the office of Circuit Judge of this Judicial District. Subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce J. W. Sessas a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Court Clerk of Fulton County, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.  
We are authorized to announce Harry J. Moorman as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of this district, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce W. H. Heister, of Mayfield, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of the First District, subject to the action of the Democratic Party, May 9, 1903.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce Senator Mc D. Ferguson, of Paducah, as a candidate for the office of Railroad Commissioner to represent the First District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic Party, May 9, 1903.

We are authorized to announce Judge J. Fletcher Dempsey of Madisonville as a candidate for the office of Railroad Commissioner to represent the First District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic Party, May 9, 1903.

STATE TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for State Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic Party, May 9, 1903.  
HENRY ROSWORTH  
of Lexington, Fayette County.

REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce Sam Elliott as a candidate for representative of the counties of Fulton and Hickman, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are hereby authorized to announce LeRoy Hargrove as a candidate for state representative from this district, composed of the counties of Fulton and Hickman. Democratic primary, May 9.

By authority we announce J. L. Egbert a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the legislature to represent Fulton and Hickman counties. Democratic primary, May 9.

#### Lieut. Governor's Race.

There seems to be little interest over the state in the race for Lieut. Governor of Kentucky, but there should be much interest manifested.

There are two good men out for the office, but one is especially deserving of recognition, and that one is Col. W. P. Thorne, of Eminence, Ky.

Of course every man, woman and child in Kentucky knows that Col. Bill Thorne is a candidate for Lieutenant Governor. He has made many speeches in this county. As a Democrat his record is unblemished; as a speaker his wit is unsurpassed, and as a lawyer and legislator, his record stands out like a star in the firmament.

Col. Thorne says he wants all the one "gallies" fellows who own one milch cow (or less) to vote for him, and he will win without a struggle.

Col. Thorne has held a number of responsible positions and has a knack at succeeding at almost anything he undertakes. He has made more speeches for his party than any man in the State, and has a personal acquaintance extending from the Big Sandy to Mills Point.

Whether nominated or defeated, Col. Thorne will be found on the stump this fall fighting for his party. But his friends say they are going to reward this valiant knight by putting him on the ticket by the side of Kentucky's brilliant young Governor.

#### A Worthy Candidate.

Mr. J. Morgan Chanin, of Mercer County, is a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. This excellent young man is one of the young men of old Kentucky that has made a remarkable record for himself in recent years. He is the author of the Chinn School Book Bill that was a pet measure of the late martyred William Goebel.

Mr. Chanin is a son of Col. Jack Chanin, the ex-Confederate soldier, who has been fighting Democracy's battles for over forty years.

Mr. Chanin seems to have his race won

and that he will make a capable and worthy clerk of Kentucky's greatest and highest Court goes without saying.

#### Pleased With Outlook.

State Senator Mc D. Ferguson, of Paducah, has returned from an extensive campaign over the Western part of the state, in the interest for his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for railroad commissioner in the First railroad district.

Mr. Ferguson expressed himself as being highly pleased with the outlook for his nomination. Every where he has met with hearty support, and he says he could not be better satisfied with the prospects.

Senator Ferguson has effected a strong organization all over the district, and if a full vote is polled in the railroad commissioner's race, he believes that his majority will be large.

The people everywhere are rallying to Gov. Beckham. It looks like he will now win by the largest majority ever given a candidate in a Primary. The people appreciate a splendid record and will give him the endorsement he deserves.

Hon. Henry R. Lawrence the bright editor of the Cadiz Record has been re-nominated for the State Legislature in Trigg county. He is a candidate for speaker and has a fine chance to win.

Well what do you think of this? A postoffice named DeLoe in Kentucky has been discontinued.

Gov. Beckham will speak at Fulton tomorrow night and will be heard by a large crowd.

#### Candidate for Representative.

The Courier this week has the pleas, of announcing LeRoy Hargrove, of Cayce, as a candidate for state representative of Fulton and Hickman counties.

Mr. Hargrove is one of the best known young men in Fulton county. He is 26 years of age and is a bright young man of much promise. He comes from one of the oldest and most highly respected families that Fulton county has ever known. He is a gentleman in every respect, and a man of more than ordinary ability.

He is highly educated and would make us a splendid representative.

He has never voted anything but a Democratic ticket, has never cast one outside the county of Fulton, and asks favorable consideration of the Democratic voters at the coming primary. Although he has always been more or less prominent in party affairs of the

county, yet he has heretofore refrained from asking any office, deterred from so doing by a becoming modesty, so conspicuous by its absence in the professional politician and office seeker. In the event of his being chosen representative for the counties of Fulton and Hickman, Mr. Hargrove promises to use his every effort for the advancement of the cause of his constituency and to maintain the supremacy of the undying principles of Democracy.

Mr. Hargrove is acquainted with the fact that Fulton and Hickman counties need good roads and he favors a bill to appropriate a large sum of money by the State for the benefit of the road system and will use every effort to have the present system improved.

Mr. Hargrove is the only candidate from Fulton county and will hustle for the nomination. No one will make a mistake by favoring his candidacy with a vote on May 9. He will try to see as many voters as possible in Fulton and Hickman counties between now and the election.

Mr. Hargrove is one of Fulton county's well-known teachers and is one of the county examiners with the county superintendent.

#### A Great Sensation.

There was a big sensation at Leesville, Ind. when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had the life saved by Dr. H. C. New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from Asthma, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peevish remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 5c, and \$1.00. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottles free."

#### Makes A Clean Sweep.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Cuts, Boils, Ulcers, Slow Eruptions and Piles. It's only 5c, and guaranteed at all druggists.

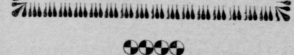
#### A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind. knew what to do in the case of his wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 5c, at all druggists.

## Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls

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Cotton Seed Meal per 100 lbs.	\$1.10
Cotton Seed Hulls, loose per 100 lbs.	.25
Cotton Seed, Hulls, bale per 100 lbs.	.30



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HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.

### KENTUCKY CROP.

The crop bulletin of the Kentucky weather bureau, for the week ending April 13 says:

The temperature averaged considerably above the normal during the week. The rain delayed farming to quite an extent in many places, but all vegetation advanced rapidly.

Wheat is in excellent condition and the present outlook for a large yield is unusually good.

Winter oats and rye are also very promising. A smaller average than usual of spring oats has been sown.

Corn planting has only begun and is progressing slowly on account of rain.

The tobacco beds were generally planted quite late, but they are coming up nicely and the early ones are growing rapidly.

Peaches were badly injured by frosts and freezing weather and the outlook is very poor for the crop. Some of the later varieties will give a partial crop.

Other fruits are, in most localities, in fair condition. Gardens are very backward, planting having been delayed by rain.

Grass is in splendid condition and much farther advanced than is usual at this time of year.

Stock of all kinds are in very fair condition.

### WOODLAND MILLS NOTES.

A new girl has arrived at the home of W. F. Garrigan and wife.

W. D. Jones has come Hyattsville, Ark. where he will engage in business. His family will follow soon.

Business is quiet with us, very few in Woodland. Suppose nearly all have gone to work.

W. T. Flick and wife will commence keeping house soon.

Mr. Mary Jenkins of Raleigh, is visiting relatives here. Miss Anna Lonsbrough is visiting her father.

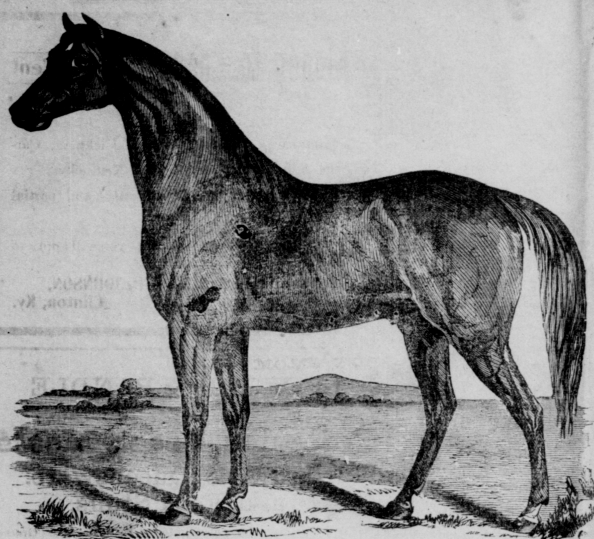
Mr. Frank Hooch is on a visit here.

LeRoy Egbert went to Hickman Saturday and besides doing some campaigning, visited the monitor Arkansas, got his pocket picked and had an all-round good time. —Clinton Gazette.

During target practice in the gulf, off Pensacola, a twelve-inch gun on the battleship Iowa burst from the premature explosion of a shell. Three pieces of the gun, each weighing more than a ton, pierced the spar deck and fell upon the men who were at work, killing three and injuring five others.







**ALFRED G. 12-452.**  
**Record: 2:19**

This great sire belongs to a trotting family that is second to none. He is a proven sire of fast, game and level headed race horses. He breeds large and strong. Alfred G. is a rich brown horse in color 15.3 hands high, weighs 1150 pounds, a perfect individual and with the best disposition. He is the sire of 29 with records from 2:07 to 2:30. In his list are the names of some of the greatest horses known to the harness horse world. Alfred G. will make the season of 1903 at my Oakwood Farm 3 1/2 miles east of Hickman, Ky., on the State Road, at the low price of \$25.00 to insure foal. Cash with service. Money refunded if mare does not get with foal.

**AMERICAN ECLIPSE No. 405.**  
American Eclipse is a registered Black Jack with white points. He is by IM-PORTED REBO. This Jack was said by some of the best Jack men of Middle Tennessee, to have been the best Jack that had ever been in Tennessee for years. He took the premium at Pulaski, Tenn., over a big field of Jacks. American Eclipse is a perfect individual 15.3 hands high under the standard and weighs 1100 pounds. He has a fine head, ear, bone and muscle. He pleases all that see him. American Eclipse will make the season of 1903 at my Oakwood Farm 3 1/2 miles east of Hickman, Ky., on the State Road, Terms \$10.00 to insure mare, \$20.00 to insure foal. Money due when mare or foal is with foal. Correspondence solicited.

R. A. TYLER, Prop.

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HICKMAN, KY.

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Special attention given to collections.

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The best physio: Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take, pleasant in effect. For sale by T. T. Swayne.

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Delicacies' stand, "West Hickman."  
Keeps all kinds of Groceries and Family Supplies.

BUTTER, EGGS, CHICKENS,  
A SPECIALTY.

Goods Delivered Free. Telephone No. 80.

## Illinois Central R. R.

Great preparations are being made for the entertainment at New Orleans of Veterans and their friends on the occasion of the

## Annual Reunion United Confederate Veterans

which takes place in New Orleans, May 19 to 23, 1903 and in order that large numbers may attend, there has been made on the Illinois Central R. R. a

## Rate of 1 Cent a mile

in each direction from all stations south of the Ohio river, to New Orleans. Tickets at this rate, for this occasion, will be on sale May 16 to 21, and for trains scheduled to arrive in New Orleans before noon of May 22. They will be good for return until May 24, and can be extended on payment of 50 cents to June 15. Particulars of your home ticket agent.

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Division Passenger Agent, New Orleans.  
F. W. HARLOW,  
Division Passenger Agent, Louisville.  
A. H. HANSON, D. P. A., Chicago, Ill.  
Memphis, Tenn.

How to Ward Off an Attack of Rheumatism.

"For years when spring time came on and I went into gardening, I was to have an attack of rheumatism and preceding one," says Josie McDonald of Mont. Logan county, West Va. "I tried everything with no relief what ever, until I procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and before the first bottle was used I felt like a new person. Now I feel like I am cured, but I always keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, and when I feel any symptoms of a return I apply it away with one or two applications of this liniment." For sale by T. T. Swayne.

## CORNER FOR THE FARMERS.

An old farmer who has been here longer than almost anyone else in fact from boyhood, says he always considers a load of manure worth \$1.

Generally speaking, oats is not a good crop with which to sow clover. But if they are to be sown together, let the oat seed be light.

Judging from the number of farming implements that are now being sold in Hickman, there will be a lot of work going on soon.

A common hand saw can very often be used to good advantage in trimming the horse's feet. For trimming the feet of a cold or unruly horse, a common wood chisel with three-foot handle is a good thing, as you can stand up alongside of the horse out of harm's way. Pays to keep them well shaped up.

Where one has a large herd of hogs that they want to get early spring pasture for, there is no spring sown grain that will give as early or as good pasture as barley. It only lasts a few weeks, so for a small herd a limited area should be sown, or in case of the larger herd, it should be fed down before the grain becomes hard. As barley grows so fast the pasturing should commence as soon as it commences to shoot. The forage of barley is more nutritious than that of other grains. This coupled with the fact that it comes so early, makes it valuable for spring pasture.

The woman who is always studying seedsmen's catalogues and looking into June and fancying her flower beds all autumn will be glad to know how to be able to transplant her seedlings so they may thrive and grow, says a well known raiser.

Commence now to have your egg shells carefully broken and saved. When the time comes to start the seeds in the house put your soil into these halves of egg shells, bury your seeds in it, and set the shells in a tray of moist sand. When the plantlets have reached the age of open air they carry your tray of egg shells into the garden, and when the plants in the flower bed is made gently break the shell and slip the plantlet into its resting place without disturbing the roots.

The woman who gardens can have on hand a supply of excellent fertilizer if she will have all the grass clippings thrown into an out-of-the-way corner where they may be occasionally drenched with the kitchen soap-suds.

The successful horse raiser must have a definite purpose in view and select the best sires for his purpose. Select well bred horses of good size, style, action, form, color, soundness and substance. Let cost of service be the last consideration. A good bred colt will bring you twice as much at birth as a poor one.

Joe Leech, the popular Sassafras Ridge farmer, has suffered considerable loss recently in stock dying with a disease similar to blind staggers. He has lost 18 head of horses and mules.

## GOOD ROADS.

Good roads mean the making of more money. Those who have expert knowledge of scientific road making and of the expense saved in transportation, say that it costs approximately two-fifths to one-fourth as much to haul a ton over a good road as over a poor one. Usually twice as much can be hauled in one-half the time by the same number of horses. And this point is of no slight importance, for farm produce must oftentimes be sold at the very periods when work is most urgent, and time and horse-flesh, not to mention human flesh, are matters of prime consideration.

In Minnesota estimates have been made that if only the worst places in the roads should be filled and repaired it would cost but \$2.00 to market a ton of wheat or potatoes, whereas it now costs \$2.00 a ton.

A year or two ago the secretary of the National Farmers' Congress estimated that the wagon transportation of the United States amounts to 900,000,000 tons annually; that it moved an average distance of eight miles at an expense of \$2 per ton, and that this is 60 per cent. more than it would cost if we had good roads in all parts of the country.

This is an extra cost of more than \$700,000,000 annually in producing and marketing the agricultural products of the United States. The full significance of this enormous sum—nearly three-quarters of a billion dollars—is realized when the further statement is made that it represents one-sixth of the total annual value of all the agricultural products of the Union. This enormous loss to the farmers of the country is preventable and should not be permitted; no people can afford it.

Respective of all other benefits the introduction of good roads advances land values largely, sometimes as much as 50 or 60 per cent. With the saving which would be effected by good roads, Kentucky could not only pay for the highways, but be richer by millions of dollars in the increase in value of real estate.

## SQUIBLETS.

Stepping upon a person's corns should be made a crime punishable either by death or life imprisonment.

People with corns ought to be exempt from taxation and all other calamities.

Stand up for your rights. Organize against bill collectors. They are a nuisance and a menace to the peace and happiness of any community.

Burial permits ought by all means to be furnished free with every package of cigarettes.

## POLLYTICKS.

(BY WILLIE SHAWTWEED.)  
Pollyticks is never enough. And pollytushes are not thieves, but it is because they haven't had a change, they will be sure enough.

Pollyticks makes strange bed-fellows. See doo the cheap log-houses. When a man runs for office they turn the time line on his back.

A man's passed is most alive when seen by the other party. In the of his own party it looks like the rizing sun coming up out of the east in a storm.

Wan paper will say a man is a thief, a liar, a pickpocket and a boodler, and the other paper will say he is a gentleman, a noble, a pure, a rite, a good. One application will relieve the other. Pollytushes are not crooks, but awi crooks are pollytushes. This is a paradoxism. When a pollytushin dies suddenly knows where to go. They can make a party good, tho.

The party in power is always simply off. It is the other party and the other party always hankers to clean up.

If a man is borned a reppalytan hee must always stak wun. If he is borned a demagogy he is kate likely to change around every four years. No biddy was never borned a prohibitionist. This is a lair invention.

When wimmin gets into pollyticks they will be kate likely to get a well. They will have speaking and wan woman will say: "My opponent is a dower. She wears a laced vest, hat," and then the wimmin will awi howl and taff and howl.

When the wimmin kandyates meet they will make faces at each other and then will make fun for everbody.

A shoe prezident wun be very funny. If shoes want married sun wan shoe prezident and marry her and then hee wud be prezident because hee is the head of the house.

It will be a week or two before we get a wimmin prezident.

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All in one piece.

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Hickman, Ky.

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The St. Louis Republic Offers Four-teen Splendid Rewards To Subscribers.

An interesting announcement appears in that great metropolitan newspaper, the St. Louis Republic. In the form of a profitable offer to any one now a subscriber or willing to become a subscriber of The Republic. A big sum of \$10,000.00 is to be paid in rewards for good judgment and skill. It is possible to secure all the rewards from \$10.00 up to \$2,000.00.

The Republic's subscribers are invited to estimate from the number of admissions to the Worlds Fair grounds upon the occasion of the grand dedication ceremonies, April 30, 1903, of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The subscriber whose estimate comes nearest the official record will receive \$5,000.00; the next one will get \$2,500, and an additional sum of \$2,500 will be divided in rewards ranging from \$1,000 down to \$100.00 among those whose estimates most nearly approximate the official records of admissions. A payment of \$7.50 will provide for the delivery of the Daily and Sunday Republic for not less than one year, or \$9.00 will pay for six annual subscriptions to the Twice a week Republic and if the remittance is received on or before 4 p. m. of April 29, 1903, the person sending remittance will make six estimates. More estimates may be made by extending subscription beyond one year. The winning clubs and adjoining others to subscribe.

Complete information as to the conditions of this contest, together with blanks will be found in the Daily, Sunday and Twice a week editions of the Republic from April 3 until April 29, 1903 or will be mailed to any and upon application. All communications and estimates should be addressed to THE REPUBLIC, P.O. Box 514, ST. LOUIS, MO.

## FOR HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

Deputy Sheriff Finis L. Clark, of Madrid, Borden, and Sunday, with a prisoner, George Prather, white, charged with highway robbery, and lodged him in jail. Mr. Clark is gaining quite a reputation as a detective.

## JAS. CRAIG DEAD.

James W. Craig, one of Clinton's most highly esteemed citizens, died Sunday afternoon of heart failure. He had been in bad health for a year or more. Deceased was an ex-Confederate soldier and was born in Perry county, Tenn. He served one term as jailer of Hickman county, and was very popular.

## T. T. Swayne Warrants Every Bottle.

If troubled with rheumatism give Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent. If it does not, one application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains, lame backs, neuralgia, toothache, colds, croup, whooping cough, and all other ailments. It is a sure cure for all these ailments. Price 25 to 50 cents. T. T. Swayne.

## Half Rates to New Orleans.

Account National Manufacturers Association Meeting, New Orleans, April 15-17, and American Medical Association Meeting, New Orleans, May 2-8, Mobile and Ohio R. R. Agents will sell tickets at rate of one cent for the round trip. Ask your home agent or write Jas. M. Heald, A. G. P. A., St. Louis, for particulars.

## UNION CITY.

North Bound:  
No. 2 Leaves (daily) 11:31 a. m.  
No. 4 Leaves " 12:40 p. m.  
No. 12 Leaves week days 1:50 p. m.

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No. 1 Leaves (daily) 3:23 p. m.  
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one cent a mile to New Orleans.

For the annual Reunion at New Orleans, May 19-25, the Mobile and Ohio R.R. will sell tickets to New Orleans and return at above rate, limited for return to May 24, with privilege of extension to June 15, 1905. Ticket agents at rate of one first class rate plus 25c. For the round trip will be sold from New Orleans. Ask your nearest ticket agent or write Harvey E. Jones, Jr., T. P. A., M. & O. R. R., Jackson, Tenn., for full particulars.

## HAIR RATES TO CAIRO.

Account Annual Celebration Out Fellows Interstate Association, Cairo, Ill., April 25, Mobile and Ohio Agents, Wicks, Ky., to Jackson, Tenn., will sell tickets at rate of one fare for the round trip, plus 25c. Ask your agent for particulars.

A disordered stomach may cause no end of trouble. When the stomach fails to perform its functions the bowels become deranged, the liver and kidneys congested, causing numerous diseases, the most fatal of which are painless and therefore the more to be dreaded. The important thing is to restore the stomach and liver to a healthy condition, and for this purpose no better preparation can be used than Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by T. T. Swaney.

## Robbed The Grave.

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an coffin collection. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. I took the first bottle and made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at all druggists.

## MASTER COM. NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

To bring forward their claims properly proven.

J. W. Underwood, Jr. At. Equity.

Sam Underwood. All persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. E. J. Underwood, dec'd are hereby notified to produce the same, properly proven, to the undersigned, Master Commissioner of the Fulton County of Fulton Kentucky, on or before the 1st day of May term next. This day 10th of March, 1905.

S. D. LUTEN, Master Commissioner O. F. C.

## CITY BARBER SHOP.

To my old customers: We are here to stay. Nobody will appreciate you patronage or take more pleasure in trying to please you than we old reliable barbers. R. U. CALDWELL, WILL CHOWELL

## FAIR APPROPRIATIONS

Made by Different States Nearly Four Millions.

## ELABORATE DISPLAYS TO BE MADE.

Real Value of All Will Be Over \$10,000,000—Legislature Failed to Allocate Kentucky, But She Will Be More Adequately Represented Than If It Had.

Appropriations for state buildings and exhibits at the World's Fair, St. Louis, in 1904, at the present date amount to \$3,985,500. To this sum may be added \$1,754,000 in hand or being raised from other sources. Little are pending in the legislatures of sixteen states, aggregating \$1,427,000. Of these bills all are reasonably sure of passing, making a grand total of \$7,167,000 to be expended in showing to the world the industries and resources of the different sections of this country. The legislatures of twelve other states will convene in time to supplement this total and increase it many thousands of dollars. Many states have exhibits already collected worth thousands of dollars, which have been used at former exhibitions and others that belong to individuals. These are not included in the total. The real value of state exhibits at a very conservative estimate will be over \$10,000,000. The total amount expended for state exhibits at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in 1893 was \$3,250,000. Many states are showing great activity in the collecting of their exhibits, among the foremost of which is Kentucky. Kentucky's legislature failed to make an appropriation, and she will have a representation at the exposition that will surpass the states with appropriations, if her citizens subscribe as they should to the Kentucky Exhibit association fund.

## SPENDING THE FUND.

Every Cent Goes Into Kentucky Building and Exhibits at Fair.

One of the latest folders issued by the Kentucky Exhibit association outlines in brief paragraphs what the plan of the association are to be spent for. These are enumerated as follows: A State building; mineral exhibit, occupying 5,000 square feet of space; agricultural exhibit, occupying 5,000 square feet of space; horticultural exhibit, occupying 3,000 square feet of space; tobacco exhibit, occupying 5,000 square feet of space; out of a total of 10,000 to be given to all tobacco; forestry exhibit, occupying 2,000 square feet of space; educational exhibit, occupying 2,500 square feet of space.

In addition to this, the association will encourage and stimulate exhibits in live stock, manufactures, whiskey, fine arts, liberal arts and all other departments of the exposition. The space for these exhibits is many times as much as Kentucky had at the Chicago World's Fair, and they are to be on a more thorough and extensive scale than was ever attempted before.

## A BUTTON OF SEVEN COLORS.

The Kentucky building to be erected at the St. Louis World's Fair has been shown in seven shapes and sizes, but at no time more attractively than on the souvenir button which the Kentucky Exhibit association has placed on sale, with the hope of adding many hundred dollars to its fund for a proper representation of the state at St. Louis. The cut of the button herewith is actual size, but it does not do the souvenir half justice. It is one of these things that must be seen to be appreciated. One and a fourth inch in diameter, it has seven distinct colors in the design—building in purple, sky in gold, lawn in blue grass, foliage in green, walks in gray, lettering in brown and black. The buttons have had a splendid sale so far and every indication points to the entire issue of 25,000 being exhausted.

## EVERYBODY GIVEN A VOTE.

Many a man has wanted to exercise the right of franchise and every youth awaits impatiently the ending of his minority. In the school teachers' popularity contest of the Kentucky Exhibit association neither sex nor age cuts a figure in the qualifications of a voter. Every woman in the state, every child in the state—boy or girl—has as every man in the state is entitled to vote "not only early, but often." In fact, the Exhibit association is anxious to have the ballot box stuffed. The counting is to be under the supervision of a committee, the honesty of which can not be questioned. Therefore, fairness is assured. Let everybody cast at least one vote in this contest.

The installation of the first exhibit of the World's Fair was begun recently. It is the large Daer roller sent to St. Louis by the Dasselndorf-Rattinger Rohrenfabrik of Germany. This roller will do service in lighting the Liberal Arts building and the grounds during the dedication ceremonies.

## MRS. JOSIE HARBEST.

"Death loves a shining mark." Certainly this familiar quotation is true if we take for example the death of our friend, sister and associate, Mrs. Josie J. Harbest, (nee Hadden) which occurred on Tuesday afternoon last at 1:30 o'clock, at her home on Sassafras Ridge. About two weeks ago she was stricken by that dread disease, small-pox, and on April 7th, 1905, she breathed her last in peace. She was void of all the instincts that degrade nature, faithless to an extent far beyond the most of us, and existing upmost in the depths of her soul was a love for God and right. In life I never heard her say aught against friend, neighbor or foe.

She was 27 years, 2 months and 11 days of age, a member of the Missionary Baptist church on Sassafras Ridge, living a consistent, Christian life until the death angel said "Come higher, beloved Josie, thou hast been faithful over the things of this earth, come higher and reap your reward." She expressed herself in willing to die but did not want to leave her children. She leaves two little children, a boy and a girl, a feeble, aged mother, one sister and three brothers. One of the brothers is living in Jackson, Tenn.

Weep not, loved ones, she is not dead, but her clay form sleepeth while her spirit is watching for you in the sweet beyond.

Made glad the scenes of sinners' strife, Sing now an everlasting song Around the tree of life.

ONE WHO LOVED HER.

## BOB BINFORD HURT.

Col. Bob Binford, of near Alexander, one of Fulton county's most valuable citizens, was thrown from his buggy Saturday night and badly hurt. Mr. Binford had been to Alexander to meet the 9 o'clock train and was returning home when his buggy wheel dropped into a hole in the road, throwing him out on his head, rendering him unconscious for several hours. He was found by Hannibal Seal, sometime after he had been thrown out, and taken home where medical aid was given him. He will be out in a few days.

## NEW IN GENERAL.

The Court of Appeals was convened for the April term with a large docket.

Fire, caused by lightning, destroyed the big barn of E. G. Martin at Scottsville, Ky., entailing a loss of \$12,000, with no insurance.

Judge Gregory, of Louisville, holds that under the Constitution city precincts may hold local option elections.

The Reina Christina, Spanish battleship at the battle of Manila, was raised and beached, and the skeletons of eighty Spanish sailors were found in the wreck.

Col. W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill), was hurt at Manchester, England, by his horse rearing and falling on him.

All grades of refined sugar have been advanced five cents more on the hundred pounds.

## COLD RECEPTION.

Lexington, Ky., April 13.—Col. John K. Hendrick arrived here this morning to make a speech in behalf of his candidacy for the gubernatorial nomination, and, with valise in hand, started for Jackson Hall, where the meeting was to be held. At the O. & O. depot he was met by Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge and Chief of Police Jerry Reagan, who told him the hall was empty, and, after a little conversation, he turned up on his heel and went back into the Phoenix Hotel, entering by the rear door.

## LEGS CUT OFF.

Roy Scott a popular young man of Fulton, was seriously injured at Fulton Saturday by being run over by a train. Both his legs were cut off and he received other injuries. It is reported that he will likely recover. Mr. Scott is a son of Dick Scott of McConnell and married Miss Annie V. Massengill of Union City a few years ago.

## EDUCATIONAL AFFAIRS

Of Kentucky To Be Well Displayed at the Fair.

## PROFESSOR BROWNELL IN CHARGE.

Committee of Prominent Educators Arranging For Collection and Installation of Exhibits—Much Interest Being Taken in School Teachers' Contest.

The display Kentucky is to make in the Educational building at the World's Fair next year will open the eyes of educators everywhere to Kentucky's possibilities in educational affairs. The Kentucky Exhibit association has placed at the head of its Educational exhibit committee Professor H. G. Brownell, principal of the Manual Training High School of Louisville, and he has appointed 26 of the state's best known educators as his associates on the committee. They are as follows: Professor H. V. McChesney, Frankfort; Professor R. P. Hallock, Louisville; Professor W. H. Harlow, Louisville; Professor F. Paul Anderson, Lexington; Dr. Chas. Palmer, Danville; President William Davidson, Jackson; Dr. W. G. Frost, Berea; Dr. R. E. Hutton, Louisville; Dr. E. Y. Mullins, Louisville; Dr. Arthur Vayn, Georgetown; Superintendent M. A. Cassidy, Lexington; Superintendent S. L. Froge, Frankfort; Professor C. J. Crabbe, Ashland; Professor Melvyn Rhoades, Owensboro; Professor T. S. Alley, Berea; Professor C. C. Cherry, Bowling Green; Professor Enos Spencer, Louisville; Miss Pattie S. Hill, Louisville; Mrs. Emily E. Bracken, Louisville; and Mrs. M. B. Tucker, Louisville.

The association has made application for 150 square feet of space in the Palace of Education at the Fair and it is reasonably certain that it will



H. G. BROWNELL, Chairman Educational Exhibit Committee, Louisville.

secure this amount. Professor Brownell recently made a trip to St. Louis to confer with Mr. Howard J. Rogers, chief of the Department of Education relative to Kentucky's exhibit in his department, and had a very satisfactory interview. Mr. Rogers promising Professor Brownell that Kentucky's educational exhibit would be well taken care of. Professor Brownell since his appointment has devoted much time to the study of collecting and installing the Kentucky educational display and has decided to classify it under eight groups, as follows: Elementary, secondary, higher, fine arts, agricultural, commerce and industry, defects and text-books and furniture. There will be several classes in these groups, showing school management, organization, statistics, pictures and plans of buildings, methods of instruction, results obtained and pupils' and students' work. Another important factor will be the training of teachers. Good exhibits are being prepared by Professor Brownell and his committee from the graded schools and rural schools of the state, and also illustrating the work of the mountain schools. It is his hope that every educator in the state will help make the Kentucky display one of the most successful in the Educational building at the fair.

It is believed that the deep interest to be aroused by the school teachers' popularity contest, inaugurated two weeks ago by the Kentucky Exhibit association, will greatly increase interest in the educational exhibit. Educators in every part of the state are awake to the importance of having a good display at St. Louis, and at the same time are lending their efforts to making a success of the contest whereof 120 of the most popular teachers in the state will be given free trips to the World's Fair. Every educator in Kentucky is eligible to election in this contest, members of the educational committee alone excepted. They are barred for the reason that the counting of the votes is to be conducted under their supervision.

## FINE AGRICULTURAL DISPLAYS.

No man is more capable for the position of chairman of an agricultural exhibit committee than is Colonel Jan B. Nall, the state commissioner of agriculture. Colonel Nall is at the head of the Kentucky Agricultural exhibit committee on agriculture and horticulture exhibits and is now working out the details of the display made by the state in these two departments. He has associated with him a committee thoroughly versed in everything agricultural, and in addition to this has an army of workers throughout the state, having appointed subcommittees in every county of the state.

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Oak Bedroom Suits. 12 to \$65  
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The best Double Cane seat Chairs.	\$3. per set
Oak Dining Chairs.	4.50 to \$10 per set
Mattresses from	1.50 to \$15
Bed Couches from	9 to \$18
Plain Couches from	7 to \$35
Box Couches from	8 to \$15

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Metals, Cloth and Plush covered Caskets of all colors and sizes. Black Walnut and Rosewood And a complete line of Robes and Tailor-Made Suits for Ladies and Gentlemen. In fact, everything that is kept in a first-class Undertaker's establishment.

I thank the people very much for their liberal patronage.

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## SENSATIONAL EVIDENCE DEVELOPED ON THE KILLING OF GOV. GOBEL.

Franklin, Ky., April 16. The testimony of Frank Cecil, against whom indictment for complicity were returned, and who has been a fugitive for a year, furnished a sensation at today's proceeding in the trial of Jim Howard for the murder of Gov. Goebel.

He swore he was approached on January 29 by Caleb Powers, who said: "It may be necessary to get you to do this killing unless the man from the mountain arrives. We have some arrangements. Taylor has \$2,000 left from the campaign fund to pay you still."

Powers then went to Taylor's office, witness said, and in a few minutes returned, telling Cecil that Taylor was waiting to see him. Cecil had a talk with Taylor. The latter said in the course of the conversation:

"I'll give you \$1,000 and a free pardon if you'll kill Goebel." Cecil said he was not that sort of fellow. Taylor then made him promise not to reveal what had been said, "or you'll never live to see much of it," Taylor said.

W. C. Threlkeld testified that he saw Howard in Frankfort the night before the murder.

Robert Allen of Clay county swore that Howard said of the killing: "I know who killed Goebel and I think God that I do know."

Dave Gladwell and C. F. Jones of Frankfort testified to having seen Howard the day after the murder, and Jones said Goebel's wounds were not serious. Howard then said:

"Yes it was a dead end all right."

Jim St. John, of Clay county, witness, who has given damaging evidence on the case, and Howard, the latter of Howard saying after the shooting: "I have been down to Frankfort, and we cleaned up the matter; whenever I go through the sight of my gun or pistol get me out of any. This time I got both."

Stubbfield said: "I saw Jim later. I believe the following Sunday. I asked him if he meant what he said a few days before that he killed Goebel. He responded: 'That's what I meant, what I said.'"

"I remonstrated with him for talking, and he said: 'My friends will never desert me. Five hundred men could not get me out of this town.'"

Miss Donna Oakes, on account of illness, had to leave school and return to her home in Union City until she recovers.

Hon. James W. Bryan, who was lieutenant governor during the administration, died at his home in Lexington, Wednesday, of pneumonia. He was born in Ireland, was 50 years of age, and leaves a wife and six children. He ranked among the leading lawyers of Kentucky.

At Greenfield, Tenn., Mrs. W. S. Barker's clothes caught fire, and she was burned here so she died in about six hours afterwards.

**TWO STRAY ANIMALS.** One black horse and mare at Mrs. M. E. McNeill's 3 miles east of Hickman between the Troy and Dresden roads on the Arthur King farm. April 10, 1902.

The Court of Appeals was convened for the April term with a large docket.

**TRICKS ON CANDY-EATERS.** Clever Imitations of Peppermint, Caramel and Shoe Buttons Put Up for the Jokers.

"The trick cigar has its counterpart in confectionery," said a candy manufacturer the other day, according to the New York Times. "The fellow who delights in giving explosive cigars to his men friends demands something similar for the candy-consuming sex, and we have to meet the demand."

"The possibilities of a cream chocolate or a piece of nougat are limited, but we have a few contrivances. We make of a very hard candy an imitation of a tooth with a gold crown, and sell it in a cream chocolate. You can imagine the rest—a party of women munching candy, one of them discovering something hard, and finding a gold-crowned tooth loose in her mouth."

"Similarly we imitate a bone collar button in a hard chocolate, and a candy shoe button in a piece of nougat, put a bit of cork in a caramel, or fill a candied cherry with red pepper. So long as the sanitary experts don't weed out these alleged jokers the candy man has to put up these trick candies for them."

**WAS AN AMBITIOUS MAN.** With His Hand He Tried to Push the Big Gun Piccolini Away from Him.

When the big 16-inch gun was towed to Sandy Hook the great floating derrick Monarch and the lighter Captain Monarch carried the weight, while the powerful wrecking steamer, T. J. Merritt, did the pulling.

The government doctor the Merritt dropped behind the other vessels and pushed them in against the pier, at the end of which an insolent gunner from the Merritt, while the huge Monarch swung close to the pier driver, and a man boarded the latter, fearing the pier driver was a danger of being crushed, and with no idea of the eternal fitness of things, reached out and tried to push the derrick, and gun and steamer all away at the same time. It was like a fly trying to kick down a mountain.

Out of the pilot house of the Merritt the captain stood back, says the New York Mail and Express, and, "tired the atmosphere, roared at the man on the pier driver:

"Don't bother. We'll make a line fast to keep the derrick there. You can't hold it!"

## A SENATOR'S TEMPTATIONS.

Natural Results of the Immense Growth of His Power and Influence.

One result of the immense growth of a senator's power and influence is the temptation thereby offered to masterful men of wealth, writes Henry Loomis Nelson, in Century. To such men there is no pleasure comparable to that of exercising power. The joy of the ruler is dear to them, and there is no position in this country like a senatorship for breeding that ecstasy. An indictment against wealth in politics, per se, is folly; but wealth in public life, unguarded and uncontrolled, is a menace to the country's best interest.

It is not true that rich public men invariably disregard or overlook the general welfare; they are often our wisest counselors. It is true, however, that their first tendency is to consider the effect of proposed legislation on their personal interests. It is also unquestionably an evil that men who have no talent for public life should attain to its highest honors merely because they are rich. In the present senate there are more than a score of men who would not be there if they were not rich. It is not true that these men, being in the senate, are necessarily unworthy members of that body, but, in itself, the fact that wealth can secure senatorships does not make for the health of the body. When to this is added the deference which the senate has gained over the president and the popular branch of congress, and over the party organizations, it readily understood that it is a menace to the health of the body politic.

## IRONIDES A BOSTON BOAT.

Where the Materials for the Famous Old War Ship Were Gathered From.

"How entirely the Constitution, finished in 1797, was a homely vessel, and therein a typical product. Mr. H. A. Hill has pointed out in his monograph on Boston gunnery, says M. A. DeWolfe Howe, in Atlantic. "Paul Revere furnished the copper, bolts, and spikes, drawn from malleable copper by a process then new; and Ephraim Thayer, who had a shop at the South end, made the gun carriage for the frigate. The sails were made in the Granary building at the corner of Park and Tremont streets, no other building in Boston was large enough for the purpose. There were then no ropewalks. In Boston, so that there could be no difficulty obtaining cordage, and there was an incorporated company for the manufacture of sail cloth, whose factory was on the corner of Tremont and Boylston streets, and was encouraged by a bounty on its product from the general court; this product had increased to 50,000 or 60,000 yards per annum, and is said to have competed successfully with the duck brought from abroad. The anchors came from Hanover in Plymouth county, and a portion of the timber used in what was then the only shipyard in the city was taken from the woods of Allen-town, on the borders of the Merrimack, 50 miles away."

## THE PARENTAL CATFISH.

Good Trait That Does Not Seem to Be Possessed by Other Fishes.

"The catfish," said an angler, according to the Philadelphia Record, "is the only fish I know that seems to have any affection for its young. Other fish disregard their young altogether; will even eat them at times, but not so with the catfish." The first time I discovered this good trait was last summer. I was angling in a small dam, and in the clear water I saw a host of little catfish, accompanied by two adults. The adult male and wife, no doubt, watched over the babies with anxious care. They darted in this direction and that, keeping the coast clear, and if a stranger fish approached they rushed up and fought it off like lions. They did a thing that indicated great intelligence in them when they saw me. Happening to glance up and catch my eye, they feared that I meant mischief, and instantly they sank down to the bottom and thrashed the mud about with their tails, thus creating an opaque cloud wherein their young and they were hidden. Since that time I have often seen catfish with their young. There have been two adults in each case to look after the small fry, and in the presence of some great danger the opaque cloud of mud has always been drawn about the brood."

## Foreigners Fond of Finery.

At one of the receptions recently Washington's diplomatic set underwent a severe shock on witnessing the gorgeous display of jewels to which Countess Cassini, niece of the Russian ambassador, the countess, a lovely girl of 19, was a host of emeralds and diamonds on her neck, such as never had been seen in Washington before. In addition she had enormous diam. almost barbaric in its weight and richness. Another foreigner whose sartorial splendor approached that of the countess was Prince von Hengelmüller, wife of the Austrian ambassador.

## No German Word for "Cake."

Party pounds has been offered as a prize by a Vienna confectionery company for the best translation of the English word "cake," the exact equivalent of which does not exist in German.

## "MINED IN KENTUCKY."

This Placard Will Become Familiar at World's Fair.

## GRAND DISPLAY OF OUR RESOURCES.

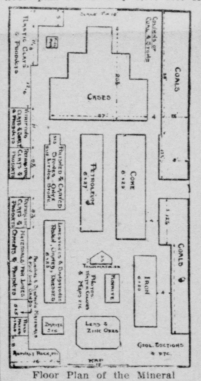
Six Thousand Square Feet of Space Reserved for Kentucky's Mineral Exhibit in the Mines and Metallurgy Building at the Exposition.

The first plan of Kentucky's mineral exhibit, to be installed in the Mines and Metallurgy building, at the exposition in St. Louis next year, is made public this week by the Kentucky Exhibit association. It was drawn by Professor C. J. Norwood, state inspector of mines, who is chief



C. J. NORWOOD, Chief Counselor to Mineral Exhibit Committee, Lexington.

counselor to the mineral exhibit committee of the association, and has been approved by the chairman of the committee, former Mayor Chas. P. Weaver of Louisville. It has been conceded by everyone with the slightest knowledge of Kentucky's mineral resources that the Blue Grass state is wealthier in this regard probably than any other commonwealth in the Union. This is a fact that is to be brought prominently to the attention of thousands and thousands of visitors at the exposition. A study of the floor plan will show that every variety of mineral is to be given a good display. Chairman Weaver has surrounded himself with expert consultants on these minerals and Kentuckians may rest assured that the best exhibit ever made of her wealth beneath the surface will be found at the St. Louis fair. The floor plan shows only 5,000 feet of



Floor Plan of the Mineral Exhibit.

space. In addition to this the association has secured 1,000 square feet to be used in other parts of the Mines and Metallurgy building, and herein will be installed duplicate exhibits of coal, crude oil, clays, asphalt, etc.

## ONE EXHIBIT TO COST \$10,000.

Kentucky will have the distinction of installing one of the largest refrigerating machines to be shown at the World's fair. Mr. Gardner T. Vorhees, the refrigerating engineer and expert in charge of the refrigerating department at the exposition, was in Louisville a short time ago and invited the Henry Vogt Machine company to put in a 200-ton refrigerating machine. The invitation was at last accepted and a contract signed to that effect. A machine of 200 tons refrigerating capacity is about equivalent to a machine that will make 100 tons of ice each 24 hours. The Henry Vogt Machine company will expend \$10,000 in making this exhibit.

## DEEP INTEREST MANIFESTED.

The failure of the Kentucky legislature to make an appropriation at its last session led, to the citizens of the state only one chance to be properly represented at the St. Louis world's fair next year. This opportunity being taken advantage of, the Kentucky Exhibit association was formed to correct, in as great a measure as possible, the mistake made by the general assembly, and, with the united effort of the citizens of the commonwealth, it will succeed. There is no denying the fact that the movement inaugurated by the association has already stirred up more interest throughout the state than would have come from an appropriation in many times the period devoted to the work by this organization.

## INCUBATED DUCKS.

They Are Very Timid and Flights Are Burred All Night for Them.

The difference between an incubated chicken and a duckling brought into the world in the same artificial way is very noticeable. The chicken will amount of strength at its command, and look about as if it thought the world ought to be amazed at seeing such a pretty creature, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. The duckling, on the contrary will give one glance out of the hole, and then run back into the darkest corner and try to hide itself.

When placed in the runs destined for them, the ducks are scared at the least thing; any strange noise will cause them to huddle together in the farthest corner, piling themselves one on the other three or four deep; the result is death to some and injury to many more.

A duck loses weight every time it is frightened, so that breeders are cautioned not to disturb them. Such a coward is the incubated duck that it becomes necessary to burn a light all night; if left in the dark, the vivid imagination of the creature will conjure up all kinds of things to get upon the companies by the state authorities to whom the reports of steam and electric railroads are made. The superintendent of the Pennsylvania bureau of railroads has in one or more reports called attention to the reckless operation of street railways in this state, and advised caution. The loss of life chargeable to the electric roads in 1902 in the United States is great, relatively to the casualties on the steam roads. The deaths from steam railroad accidents during the year numbered 3,165, and 475 persons were killed and 2,244 seriously injured in electric car accidents.

An incubated chicken is sometimes placed with the ducks to show them how to look after themselves.

## ELECTRIC RAILWAY SPEED.

Numerous Fatalities Engaging the Attention of Authorities in Some States.

The regulation of speed on the electric railways in the country is attracting the attention of authorities in some of the states, says the Philadelphia Ledger. The fatalities occurring on these lines are due principally to grade crossings and to the immediate speed of the cars in descending hills. The rapidity with which the cars may be run is subject to local regulation. It is not recalled that there are any general acts touching the matter in force anywhere, though caution in the management of electric street car lines has been urged upon the companies by the state authorities to whom the reports of steam and electric railroads are made. The superintendent of the Pennsylvania bureau of railroads has in one or more reports called attention to the reckless operation of street railways in this state, and advised caution. The loss of life chargeable to the electric roads in 1902 in the United States is great, relatively to the casualties on the steam roads. The deaths from steam railroad accidents during the year numbered 3,165, and 475 persons were killed and 2,244 seriously injured in electric car accidents.

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## HEADS OF FOES IMPALED.

The Sultan of Morocco Sets Them Up on Spiked Walls as a Warning.

J. C. Langerman, United States consul at Tangier, and consul-general of the St. Louis exposition, recently visited the sultan of Morocco at Fez. In an interview, says a report to the Cincinnati Enquirer, Mr. Langerman said:

"Morocco is still unsettled. The heads of all the rebels the sultan has captured are impaled on spikes on the walls of the city. The heads are preserved on they will last longer as a warning. I spent six weeks with the sultan, and was the last American to leave Fez. The sultan's policy is to capture and execute the pretender. He will exhibit him throughout the country in a cage. It would be of no use to kill him, for the people would not believe him dead. The pretender recruits his fanatical following by promising to kill all foreign devils who he has captured. If the sultan showed me places in his palace where captives were wall in alive, the Moroccans are the most fanatical people in the world."

## BADGER AS A FIREMAN.

The Animal Put Out Blaze as Coolly and Skillfully as a Person Would.

A badger, which had made its home among the granite cliffs, dealt with the fire god with sagacity and skill, says Nature. A friend, while painting a sea piece, discovered a badger's lair, and thought to play the animal a practical joke. Gathering together a bundle of grass and weeds, he placed it inside the mouth of the hole and lighting it with a match, waited for the ignominious flight of the astonished householder. But Master Badger was no reasoner at all, and not disposed to be made a butt of practical jokes.

He came up from the depths of his hole as soon as the penetrating smoke told him that there was a fire on the premises, and deliberately scratched earth with his nose, shaking with his strong claws until all danger was past. No human skill could have grasped the situation so quickly, or displayed greater skill in dealing with an unfamiliar event.

## A Severe Rebuke.

A doctor in Devil's Lake, N. D., sent a darning letter, which chanced to reach the wrong man. Here is the rebuke: "Dear Sir: This note was put in my box by mistake. I don't have the man, he's dead, and I can't help the man any more. How does your chicken let you down the dead? Why don't you let a better chicken life and try to meet that man in heaven which is worth more than forty dollars to any doctor."

## Character in Trousers

THE INTERNATIONAL TAILORING COMPANY  
New York and Chicago

Make a specialty of trousers. Trousers they make to your individual measure are well shaped and fit at every point, and are the latest fashion.

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# Smith & Amberg Bros.

The general praise our goods have received is convincing that we have the best selected stock ever shown in Hickman. Every article for Spring is brand new, of latest style, and priced less than equal qualities are sold for elsewhere. All who trade in Hickman owe it to themselves to visit this store, and there's a cordial invitation here for everyone who calls, whether to inspect our stock or just to "look around."

## MILLINERY.

Judging from the number of Hats we have sold, it seems that every woman in Hickman and surrounding country have been to our Millinery Department the past week. We have the largest stock to be found in Hickman, and your wants can be easily satisfied, whether you want a handsomely trimmed or street hat.

## WASH FABRICS.

Now is the time to buy, before the popular patterns are sold. Brocaded Mercerized Monie Cloth, in all colors, only 30c A Yd. Imported Scotch Madras, for school and short dresses. This quality is worth 40c, Price 25c A Yd. Percales, white ground with black, blue and red figures, 10c and 12c A Yd. Lawns, Dimities and Batistes in elegant new patterns, 10c to 15c per Yd.

## It's a Business Proposition And Good Business Judgment

To purchase your Spring Clothes at this store, because you get your money's worth every time, and many times much more. We carry the best makes of Ready-to-wear Clothing that it is possible to purchase—such as the Sterling, and several other brands.

Below is the guarantee under which Sterling Clothing is so d:

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**CERTIFICATE OF GUARANTEE**  
All merchants handling "STERLING" clothing are authorized to make the following guarantee:  
We warrant every garment made by us and bearing our "Sterling" label to be sewed throughout with pure silk, tailored by skilled workmen and made from materials free from imperfections and thoroughly spoken and shrunk. Should any "Sterling" garment prove unsatisfactory and not as above represented, it may be returned and the money will be refunded.  
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## We've Suits for Any Demand, At Prices from \$5 up to \$20

### BOYS' KNEE PANTS SUITS.

In no one line are we so strong as in Knee Pants Suits. We are prepared to show the biggest and best lines of these goods in Hickman....



Fancy Worsteds, Serges, and Fancy Mixtures made up in Double-Breasted or Single-Breasted suits, with Belts to match. Also Norfolk and Blouse Suits.

THE PRICES RANGE... FROM \$1.00 to \$6.00

**Men's and Boys' Straw Hats**  
You are certain of the new shapes at this new store. Every hat was purchased this Spring.

We are showing the latest novelties, in the newest brims and shapes.

**Patterns**  
McCALL PATTERN for May have arrived. The latest styles for Ladies', Misses' and Children's Dresses, Waists, etc.

### Carpets, Rugs and Mattings

We are showing private patterns in Axminster and Brussels Carpets. In Rugs we are showing the largest assortment in the town. Our hues are all of this season's production and selected with great care.

Are you looking for MATTINGS? We are showing the largest assortment. Prices from 10c to 35c.

# Smith & Amberg Bros.

## Local News

Mrs. Ben Davis is visiting in Memphis.

Millard Robbins, of Paducah, spent Sunday in Hickman.

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Mrs. Faye Herring, of Union City, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. T. Swayze, Sunday.

Ben Herring, of Union City, was a visitor in Hickman Sunday.

Hon. Frank P. Hall and wife, of Dresden were here Saturday.

Elder W. T. Boaz will fill his regular appointment at Mr. Hermon next Sunday at 11 a. m. and at eight, Every-body cordially invited.

Mayor Tom Dillon, City Marshal Tom Dillon and J. W. Conzill were in Louisville this week attending the grand lodge of K. P.'s.

All sizes of Window and Door Screens on hand. Also Doors, Sash Lumber, at the lowest prices. H. C. Amberg, ad.

Warner Brevard has returned from a few weeks visit in Hot Springs.

I can show the latest and best styles in Ladies' and Children's Slippers—the celebrated E. P. Reed make, and they fit and wear well. H. C. Amberg, ad.

Hear Hon. Finis Garrett, the brilliant young orator, at the City Hall Monday night. A treat indeed.

Take a look at the nice Lawns and Wash Goods I am showing. Prices from 5 to 25c. Great bargains. At H. C. Amberg's.

Hon. Finis Garrett is celebrated for his oratory and the Hickman people here somewhat gratified at the City Hall Monday night, April 20.

Fred Wignand and wife have returned from a few weeks' visit in Meas as Mrs. Mr. Wignand is chief engineer of the Fulton County Levee District. He is also U. S. Levee Inspector and a popular citizen.

Chas. Moss and Marvin Johnson, of Clinton, were visitors here yesterday.

Miss Irene Paris is visiting in Carutherville, Mo.

W. L. Neill, of Huntingdon, was in the city yesterday.

Leonard Simmons arrived from Paducah yesterday.

Dr. Shelton, of Jordan, was in the city Monday.

Dr. Henry Davis, of Moscow, was the guest of Atty. Ben Davis here Monday.

Allison Tyler has returned home after a few months' stay in New York.

Prodigious of St. Louis, a former Hickman boy, spent Easter here.

M. C. H. Shepherd, of Greenville Miss, and Miss Ruby Bard of Fulton were married yesterday in Fulton.

Wood Shaw spent last Sunday in Clinton.

The Hickman Commercial Club, his filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State. The capital is \$2000.

Mrs. G. E. Bartlett and daughter, of Rockport, Ky. are the guests of Miss Mena Destlerink this week.

Mr. Chas. Perry informed us of the death of his wife's father, Mr. Hugh Southman who died at Memphis, Ark. The deceased was former resident of Hickman and is also a father of Mr. Simon Southman of Hickman.

### MUSICAL CLUB.

The Tuesday Evening Musical will meet with Mrs. B. T. Davis April 25.

Program:  
Piano solo—Miss Glen.  
Reading—Miss Glen.  
Piano solo—Miss French.  
Vocal duet—Back to our Mountain Home—Lillian Medsades Miller and Conzill.

Vocal solo—Miss Paris.  
Vocal solo—Rev. Waterfield.  
Piano duet—Medsades Davis and Conzill.

The program will begin at 8 o'clock. Members are requested to be present at 7:30.

### I. MEMORY.

March 26th, 1863 Mrs. Lizzie Clark, now Adams, was called suddenly to her "Home Beyond."

"Twas a telegram no time for getting ready. The call was swift and urgent. All our laments burn bright. All our laments we trim." She was ready. The eighth chapter of Romans had been her guide and faith. In her early girlhood she became a child of Christ, uniting with the Baptist Church in the year 1876.

She was born April 21, 1824 on the Adams farm near Hickman passing her girlhood in Montgomery neighborhood until her marriage October 3d, 1877 to Mr. Alonzo Clark. Unto them were born two noble sons and two beautiful daughters. In the year 1880, while these little ones were around her feet, when she seemed most to need the loving care and protection of their father, the great voice of the Master said to her "ye have need of him—alone, alone thou must go thy way."

Though utterly cast down in the great cup of her sorrow, she arose courageously to the duties of this life. The great beauty of her life was seen in her home. There we could see her great love for her children, her wisdom in rearing them, her loving hospitality—the great goodness of her heart. But a loving heart shines as a great light; so it was with her. She went about doing good, she was good to the poor and afflicted. She nursed the sick and afflicted.

"She nursed me in sickness," "She nursed my mother" were tributes we heard while attending her last rites.

"Blessed are all who put their trust in him."

"Sometime when all life's lessons have been learned, And sun and stars have forever set.

The things which our weak judgement here have spurned, The things of earth which we grieved with fashies we.

Will flash before us out of life's dark night.

As stars shine most in deepest tints of blue, And we shall see how all God's are right, And how what seemed reproach is love most true.

A FRIEND.

### LEE EGBERT.

Is this issue of the Courier, we announce Hon. Lee Egbert, of Clinton, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative of Fulton and Hickman counties, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 9, next month.

Mr. Egbert has represented this district before in the legislature and has served the public in other capacities and his unexcelled record behind him.

Mr. Egbert was in the legislature that settled the Goshel-Taylor contest and he met his vote along with other Democrats to seat Goshel.

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